Mr. Hardwick of Georgia discusses the race t declaring that the negro can never South, and exerting that the statistic hat as illiteracy among the regions de-

SENATE mmons of North Carollus makes th from the Domiserate side of the m of the satisfication of the Panama

The House Committee on Navat Affairs onsiders Secretary Mondy's two building

added providing for extradition for briber, and boodling, has been sent to the Semi ratification, and will be accepted by Government of The Hague

Censul General Mason at Perlin reports to the State Department that there is a general revolt among European bation gainst the vassalage they are under to American corton and American specula

#### DUSINESS

Yesterday's bank clearings were \$8,749,674, balances \$1.60.88. Local discount rates were between 5 and 6 per cent. Domesti exchange was quoted as follows: New York, 25c premium bid, 45c premium asked. Chicago, 5c premium bld, 15c premium asked; Cincinnati, Louisville and New Orans, 25c discount bid, par asked.

Wheat closed higher at \$15,580 ac Mus 464c bid May, 44c No. 2 mixed. Outs closed at 41c asked May, 40c No. 2 mixed. Spot cotton was 4c higher in the local

May Willard, an escaped convict, was recaptured while trying to procure food. The Building Commissioner will lasu certificates to enable managers of theaters to secure licenses. Deputy Sheriff Bode of St. Louis Count

found that John Weber, for whom he had warrant, had frozen to death. in the rotunda of the Merchants' Ex-

change building Forty persons were injured in the collision of two northbound cars on Broad-

The West Presbyterian Church extends a call to the Reverend S. S. Estey of Sa-

City Fireman Kane crawled through a sewer yesterday afternoon in a vain at tempt to save the life of a laborer who

had been overcome by gas. United States Senator Burton yes erday pleaded not guilty to a charge of accepting a bribe and was released on bond. Henry Gronemeyer declared that the al-

legations made by his wife in her soil fo divorce are felse. The Committee on Finance and Arrange-ment for the Democratic National Con-

vention named subcommittees yesterday to raise the guarantee fund. The American General Passenger and Ticket Agents' Association was unter yesterday by the World's Fair

Company and the St. Louis Business Men's S. E. Williamson, victim of a fake fight

receives \$500 from two "strangers" and decides not to prosecute his case.

It is probable that the Democratic pri

Commencement exercises were held at several public schools yesterday. GENERAL DOMESTIC

A Minnesota man whom his friends be lieved they had buried has returned slive from the West after an absence of more than two years. Of the total amount of life insurance

carried by James L. Blain, \$575,000 was "farmed out" to foreign companies, mostly English, by the New York Life. Chicago is confronted with the probability of an egg famine and the price of the

product has gone to 35 cents a dozer Federal Judge Grossoup of Chicago, In an address at Springfield, asserts that in the fights between labor and capital it is

neither of the combatants but the neutral public that loses. Jack O'Brien of Philadelphia outfights Tommy Ryan in a six-round bout, but

himself barely escapes defeat, the gong aving him from a knockout in the fifth The stocks issued by the American Steel Foundries Company are dropped from the list of the New York Stock Exchange, the reason for the summary action by the gov-

Sanitary District No. 1 of Illinois has issued \$90,000 bonds to construct necessar,

ernors being withheid.

At the "love feast" of Republicans in Springfield, Ill., much ascidity cropped out in the speeches. Yates deliveredthrust at Owsley, who replied in kind. Secretary of State Rose formally announced his entrance into the guberna-

Joe Pennington, the newsboy on the wrecked Iron Mountain train in Arkansas, proved himself a hero by running through the train and calling on the passengers to jump. It is believed he saved thirty persons from death or Injury.

Archbishop Farley denies the story that a crisis is threatened in the Catholic University and that some of the teaching orders of the church will become members of the faculty.

More buyers than sellers of cotton appear in the New York market, and prices are boosted accordingly. One South Carolina mill has bought a supply of Indian cotton.

A Baltimore couple clope to Pennsyl vania, and, after a religious ceremony is forbidden by the Archbishop, they call on the Mayor of the town and have a civil ceremony performed.

The Colorado military authorities yesterday declined to surrender John M Glover on a capias issued by the District

President Harper of Chicago University esserts that the institution is no longer

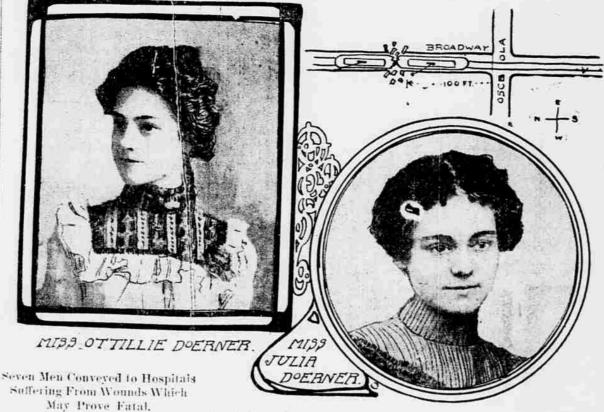
tional character. Mayor Harrison of Chicago is set free by Judge Tuthill, before whom he applies for a writ of habeas corpus as a result of the Coroner's verdict holding him to the Grand Jury.

SPORTING.

The Attell-Forbes fight has been postponed until next Monday.

FOREIGN. A Russian scientist believes that radium will ultimately solve the problem of determination of sex and that it will render war impossible by making powder useless. An autopsy shows that Whitaker Wright, who died soon after receiving a seven-year tenionee from a Lendon court, took cyanide of potassium.

#### FORTY INJURED BY COLLISION OF BROADWAY CARS: EARLY MORNING FOG RESPONSIBLE FOR THE CRASH.



Two victims of the street car condent at Broadway near Osceola street. Diagram shows how ears callided.

PERSON INJURED IN STREET CAR COLLISION. JOHN BARRINGTON, W. N. C. Minne Lan. feet lands (crushed, right

and street-railway officials, in the collision

of two northbound Broadway cars near

of the St. Louis Transit Company, and the records of the Broadway line, one of the Seven men he seriously injured at the

Several persons, also seriously hurt, were attended at the office of Doctor F. sint home as quickly as possible.

The limbs of two were so badly crushed

It was too late Jorgens bravely and at his cost and valuely tried to lide ear's speed, i of the cars as shown by the registartied more than 100 passangers, of those who were standing in the at the time of the collision were a against the seats with sufficient to leaf them from their fusientry.

were limite collecting fares when the crash tame.

It is said that the collection of the fare of a person, whose name is not known to the officials of the company, was partly responsible for the accident.

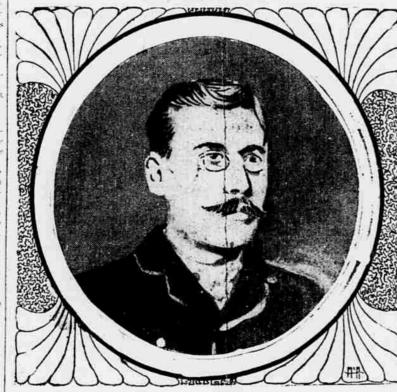
This was denied by fivision Superintendent Isovey and Yard Foreman D. A. Powers. They admit that an altercation took place, and that Conductor Sittem was bringing the party with whom he had quarreled up to the car shells, but they declared that there is a resular stopping place at the point where the accident occurred. Sitton's report says that the accident did not occur at a stopping point, however.

Rules are rosted up at the Broadway sheds governing the speed of cars in forgy weather. A distegard for these rules, the officials declare, is responsible for the accident.

# A heavy hand upon the land CATARRH OU'NA CURES CATARD Peruna is recommended by fifty members of

Congress, by Governors, Consuls, Generals, Majors, Captains, Admirals, Eminent Physicians, Clergymen, many Hospitals and Public Institutions, and thousands upon thousands of those in the humbler walks of life.

#### SEUMAS M'MANUS LECTURES ON IRISH WIT AND HUMOR



SEUMAS MCMANUS.

Who delivered a lecture last night on "Irish Wit and Humor." Scumas McManus, the trish author, lec- I domestic help for the ensuing six months

sured to a large and, to judge from the arplause, appreciative audience at Rock Church Hall last night. The lecture was given under the auspiece of St. Louis Jounell, Catholic Knights of America. Mr. McManus, coming so closely upon the beels of that other famous Irishman of

leiters, Mr. Yeats, attracted much attention. Unlike the aesthetic Years, who looks like an Italian choir boy, the Mc-Manus appearance quite fills the cammon conception of what an trishman should look like. He is tall, athletic, fair of luir, blue of eye and raddy of skin, a good type of the Milesian.

He did not attempt to make a case or deline a creed as Mr. Years did. His lecture was merely a recital of stories of the suspitty of Bonsgal as he sees it.
He began by specifying that in Donegal

could be found the felt undefiled and un-corrupted. He explained the nature of the people he proposed to speak about and brought in a pretty point in the way of

THE DEVIL'S SERVANT.

Beginning with a description of the laring fairs of May 1 and November 1, when armers and others employ their farm and on dancing.

Baptist, having outgrown its denomina- DRAINAGE DISTRICT HAS ISSUED BONDS.

Projected Improvements in Two Illi-

able by the State Treasurer at 43, per cent.

Cost \$300,000.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Dixon, Ill., Jan. 25.—Drainage District
No. 1 consisting of Hamilton Township in Lee County and Hahnaman Township in Whiteside County, organized for the purpose of straightening Green River, has issued bonds to the amount of \$30,000 to pay for the improvements.

These bonds are dated January 1, 1904, and will mature at the rate of \$15,000 and the State, and is considered to be of great benefit to the farming community.

### CHICAGO FACES AN EGG FAMINE.

Present Supply Inadequate and Receipts Almost Nothing -Price 33c Dozen Wholesale.

Chicago, Jan. 27.-Unless the cold spell thich burdens Kansas, Missoutl, Arkan sas and other great egg-producing States loosens its grip, an egg famine is probable.

The present supply in the hands of the Chicago merchants is entirely insufficient to meet the demands. Receipts have been reduced almost to the vanishing point. Th effect has been to place eggs temporarily among the luxuries. Eggs of the mality which could be purchased last week at wholesale for 28 cents, now are considered a bargain at 32 cents.

#### BOTH MISSOURI SENATORS MAY VOTE FOR TREATY.

Stone Has Not Stated What He Would Do, but It is Believed He Fears to Jeopardize Canal's Construction.

District Attorney Nortoni will return to St. Louis this merning. Adolph Fein will be a witness to-day.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets, All druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box 25c

## HAWES ASKS FOLK FOR JOINT DEBATE,

Challenge Sent to Circuit Attor ney Demanding Discussion of Issues.

ANY POINT IN THE STATE.

Challenger Formulates His Reasons for Making the Request and Urges an Immediate Meeting.

Harry R. Hawes last night sent to Joeph W. Folk a lengthy letter, in which he hallenges the Circuit Attorney to a juin lebate on the issues now before the people of Missouri.

Washington, Jan. 27. Although it is into this morning. The full text of the chal-

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S. Martiner, D. M. S. Weinberg, D. Wein

building at your campaign headquarters would suffice.

I would auggest that the time allotment be two hours to each side. All arrangements can be left to a representative from each side, who may call in a third impartial personage to agree upon conditions.

I will permit you to have the opening and close of the debate, to select the place and select the time, provided that you do not put off the debate brager than two weeks.

I will meet you Monday night or any night thereafter during the following two weeks:

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I campaigning in the interior of the state of the campaigning all of our speeches he made in joint discussion with me, you will nless in struct your employers in the future to refrain the from asking for a joint discussion with me, you will nless in struct your employers in the future to refrain the from asking for a joint discussion with me, you will nless in struct your employers in the future to refrain the from asking for a joint discussion with me, you will nless in struct your employers in the future to refrain the from asking for a joint discussion with me, you will nless in struct your employers in the future to refrain the from asking for a joint discussion with me, you will nless in struct your employers in the future to refrain the from asking for a joint discussion with me, you will nless in struct your employers in the future to refrain the from asking for a solidate and employer is afrain their candidate and e

## **FLORIDA**



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TICKET OFFICE, 206 N. BROADWAY.

Mr. Hawes sent a copy of the challenge to The Republic, with a request that it be published. The original letter was placed in the mails and should reach Mr. Fulk this morning. The full text of the challenge follows:

that your election is the remedy. You defend the use of special juries. You first assail the Streng Court of the whole string for the seasily as you find the whole State is spenly resenting the attack. You ask for the repeat of the metopolitan police system of St. Lealis which law has been on our statute tooks since 198. While advocating this in a public speech your supporters are explain.

Association, will take place at the North-west Turn and Liederkranz Hall, Vande-venter and Easton avenue, this evening.

Marine Intelligence.

Liverpeol, Jan. 25.-Sailed: Buenes Ay.



-Sick Headache, RS Constipation.
A fair trial will